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A NEW RECORD FOR THE LUMPFISH IN CHESAPEAKE BAY.

This seems to be the second specimen to be recorded from Chesapeake Bay. It was caught in a trap off Wolf Trap Light, April 29, 1914, by E. L. Wilson, and later taken to the Bureau of Fisheries for identification. The specimen was a large one about 14% inches long, and full of ripe or nearly ripe eggs. B. F. tag 9548.

In Forest and Stream, August 3, 1907, page 178, Barton A. Bean records the capture of an adult female Lumpfish (Cyclopterus lumpus), at Buckroe Beach, Chesapeake Bay, about two miles north of Old Point Comfort. It was included in a shipment of fish to Messrs. Sheaffer & Stuart, of Washington, D. C., by Thomas V. Weber, April 14. After describing the specimen Bean says:

"The specimen here recorded is a female, apparently having spawned; seventy eggs passed freely from the fish while being measured."

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NOTES ON NEW JERSEY FISHES.

During the past season a number of New Jersey fishes have fallen under my notice. Though most of the species are common, several interesting associations and records are here given: